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**NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATION**

Ms. Marlene Dortch  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: WC Docket No. 03-109 (Lifeline and Linkup)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 13, 2010, YourTel America met via conference bridge with Natelle Dietrich, Staff Member of the Universal Service Federal-State Joint Board. In the discussion, YourTel stated there now exists a timely opportunity for getting the Lifeline enrollment process right but that it should be focused on methods that drive adoption versus automatically enrolling applicants who already have phone service. Further discussion involved creating a PIN database process that is easy on the applicant, provides for ways to handle a PIN already in use and potential costs to government entities and carriers. Finally, YourTel also commented on the need for competition in the Lifeline marketplace supported by reasonable wholesale rates in preparation for expanding Broadband adoption.

Respectfully submitted,

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